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CHANGES IN DIRECTORY

Meat Inspection Granted

‡155. Jacob Zucker, 307 Callowhill Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
419-L. The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co., 569 Monmouth Street, Jersey City, N. J.

Meat Inspection Withdrawn

362. Arabi Packing Co. (Inc.), Arabi, La.
996. Louis P. Bornwasser Co., 929 Geiger Street, Louisville, Ky.
From subsidiary:
Corkran, Hill & Co. (Inc.), under establishments 3, Chicago, Ill.; 3-A, Kansas City, Kans.; 3-B, Omaha, Nebr.; 3-C, National Stock Yards, Ill.; 3-D, South St. Joseph, Mo.; 3-E, South St. Paul, Minn.; 3-L, Sioux City, Iowa; 3-AN, Harrisburg, Pa.; and 241, Cleveland, Ohio.
Plankinton Packing Co., under establishments 3-B, Omaha, Nebr.; 3-C, National Stock Yards, Ill.; 3-D, South St. Joseph, Mo.; 3-F, Fort Worth, Tex.; 3-NN, Denver, Colo.; 3-AN, Harrisburg, Pa.; 71, Jersey City, N. J.; 104, Des Moines, Iowa; 241, Cleveland, Ohio; and 727, Winona, Minn.
Omaha Packing Co., under establishments 3-F, Fort Worth, Tex.; 3-NN, Denver, Colo.; 3-AN, Harrisburg, Pa.; 6-C, Milwaukee, Wis.; 104, Des Moines, Iowa; and 727, Winona, Minn.
Interstate Packing Co., under establishments 3-B, Omaha, Nebr.; 3-L, Sioux City, Iowa; and 6-A, Chicago, Ill.
Newton Packing Co., under establishment 3, Chicago, Ill.
Independent Packing Co., under establishment 6-C, Milwaukee, Wis.
Underwood Packing Co., under establishment 71, Jersey City, N. J.

‡No sealed cars.

Meat Inspection Extended

71. Swift & Co., Jersey City, N. J., to include The St. Louis Independent Packing Co.
111. Wilson & Co., Cedar Rapids, Iowa, to include Empire Provision & Produce Co.
227. Armour & Co., New York, N. Y., to include Straus & Adler.

Change in Name of Official Establishment

215. Menner Packing Corporation, 25 Wall Street, Newark, N. J., instead of Menner Packing Co.

Change in Mail Address of Official in Charge

Dr. A. J. De Fossett, P. O. box 416, Columbus, Ohio, instead of P. O. box 1422.

Earl B. Krantz, P. O. box 709, Middlebury, Vt., instead of care U. S. Morgan Horse Farm.

S. M. Price, P. O. box 1294, Montgomery, Ala., instead of P. O. box 1317.

Dr. H. H. Day, P. O. box 339, South Omaha Station (office 203 Federal Building, South Omaha Station), Omaha, Nebr., instead of 204 Federal Building.

Dr. C. H. Hays, P. O. box 257 (office 309 Federal Building), Pierre, S. Dak., instead of 309 Federal Building.

Dr. J. S. Clark, 312 Federal Building, St. Joseph, Mo., instead of P. O. box 423.

Dr. W. E. Howe, 212 Federal Building, Sacramento, Calif., instead of P. O. box 338.

Dr. I. H. Kaufman, Federal Building, Houlton, Me., instead of P. O. box 408.

Change of Official in Charge

Dr. G. S. Jackson succeeds Dr. H. A. Schneider as inspector in charge at Frederick, Md.

New Stations

Beltsville, Md., branch pathological laboratory, Dr. Walter J. Hall, in charge.

Bethesda, Md., branch pathological laboratory, Dr. Hubert Bunyea, in charge.

Substation Discontinued

Arabi, La., meat inspection, under New Orleans, La.

NOTICES REGARDING MEAT INSPECTION

REVISED MEAT-INSPECTION FORMS

M. I. Forms 113, 113–A, 124–B, and 124–BB have been revised, and their use will begin July 1, 1932. These forms should be included in the June requisitions for supplies.

DUPLICATE M. I. FORM 109–F FOR UNMARKED MEAT TRANSFERRED IN SEALED TRUCKS

Hereafter when unmarked meat is transferred in sealed trucks between official establishments the duplicate copy of M. I. Form 109–F should be placed and sealed in an envelope and presented to the driver of the truck for delivery to the inspector at destination.

FACSIMILES OF ENGLISH AND WELSH MEAT-INSPECTION CERTIFICATES

The facsimile shown on page 39 represents the form of the approved meat-inspection certificate for England and Wales, acceptable under the provisions of B. A. I. Order 211 (Revised), Regulation 27, section 5, paragraph 5.

The similar facsimile shown on page 40 represents the form of approved meat-inspection certificate for England and Wales which is acceptable under B. A. I. Order 211 (Revised), Regulation 27, section 5, paragraph 6, regardless of the signatory, for meat and meat food products of a kind prepared customarily to be eaten without cooking, which contain muscle tissue of pork.

FORM A.

ENGLAND AND WALES.

Ministry of Health.

INSPECTION CERTIFICATE

for use in connection with the

EXPORT OF MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS.

Place..... Date.....

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the meat and/or meat food products herein described was/were derived from animals which received ante and post-mortem veterinary inspection at the time of slaughter and are sound, wholesome and fit for human consumption, and have not been treated with and do not contain any prohibited preservative or colouring matter, and that the said meat and/or meat products have been handled only in a sanitary manner in this country.

Description.	*No. of Package.*	*Weight.*

Identification Marks.....

Name and address of Consignor.....

Name and address of Consignee.....

Conveyed by (Shipping Marks).....

Signature.....
Certifying Officer.

W. A. Robinson

Secretary,
Ministry of Health.

Official Title.....

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FORM C.

ENGLAND AND WALES.

Ministry of Health.

INSPECTION CERTIFICATE

for use in connection with export to the

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

of articles of a kind prepared customarily to be eaten without cooking, which contain muscle tissue of pork.

Place..... Date.....

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the article or articles herein described are of a kind prepared customarily to be eaten without cooking, and contain muscle tissue of pork, which, when fresh or freshly cured in salt, were subjected to a temperature not higher than 5°F., for not less than 20 days, or otherwise treated as specified by the Chief of the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States of America and that said article or articles contain no muscle tissue of pork which has not been treated as herein specified.

Description. *No. of Package.* *Weight.*

Identification Marks.....

Name and address of Consignor.....

Name and address of Consignee.....

Conveyed by (Shipping Marks).....

W. A. Robinson

Secretary,
Ministry of Health.

Signature.....
Certifying Officer.

Official Title.....

NOTE.—A certificate in the above form is required to accompany each consignment of any meat or product of a kind prepared customarily to be eaten without cooking (such as summer sausage, "Italian" and "Westphalia" hams, and the like), which contains any muscle tissue of pork. This certificate is to be delivered by the consignee, or his agent, to the inspector of the Department of Agriculture at the point of inspection in the United States.

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ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL MEAT INSPECTION, MARCH, 1932

Station	Cattle	Calves	Sheep and lambs	Goats	Swine
Baltimore	6,572	1,406	2,179		60,340
Buffalo	6,139	2,331	8,932		49,231
Chicago	109,784	45,066	169,377		449,328
Cincinnati	14,806	7,728	24,085	9	73,934
Cleveland	3,468	4,405	15,917	28	40,807
Denver	6,067	1,675	23,812		29,662
Detroit	6,276	6,920	8,911		66,292
Fort Worth	18,896	9,522	78,272	7	41,504
Indianapolis	10,784	3,921	9,333		73,263
Kansas City	55,755	17,665	140,642	1	209,409
Los Angeles	11,198	3,224	37,419	680	31,026
Milwaukee	12,718	64,302	4,746		88,591
National Stock Yards	28,049	14,909	27,224		120,259
New York	28,538	50,251	288,900	51	78,655
Omaha	60,484	6,140	129,991		214,794
Philadelphia	6,266	8,341	24,039		78,560
St. Louis	11,426	7,420	4,284	8	115,831
Sioux City	22,897	2,309	40,735		127,360
South St. Joseph	21,315	5,954	97,427	1	65,591
South St. Paul	39,329	57,208	38,379		179,382
Wichita	6,794	1,699	12,836		50,277
All other stations	145,070	98,038	240,299	270	1,419,906
Total:					
March, 1932	632,631	420,434	1,427,739	1,055	3,664,002
March, 1931	635,449	415,566	1,323,565	442	3,522,911
9 months ended—					
March, 1932	6,070,841	3,383,796	14,190,796	6,709	34,877,942
March, 1931	6,148,389	3,420,003	12,847,353	7,968	33,872,771
New York, Brooklyn, Jersey City, and Newark [1]	36,350	57,533	345,922	51	219,019

[1] The slaughter figures in this group of cities are included in the figures above for "New York" and "All other stations" and are combined here to show total in the Greater New York district.

Horses slaughtered:	
March, 1932	3,128
March, 1931	6,283
9 months ended—	
March, 1932	84,343
March, 1931	114,786

Inspections of lard at all establishments, 144,523,884 inspection pounds; compound and other substitutes, 24,524,224 inspection pounds; sausage, 48,842,265 inspection pounds.

Corresponding inspections for March, 1931: Lard, 141,296,881 inspection pounds; compound and other substitutes, 40,075,183 inspection pounds; sausage, 51,837,133 inspection pounds.

(These totals of inspection pounds do not represent the actual production, as the same product may have been inspected and recorded more than once in the process of manufacture.)

CAUSES OF CONDEMNATIONS OF CARCASSES, FEBRUARY, 1932

Cause	Cattle	Calves	Sheep and lambs	Swine
Emaciation	374	132	208	104
Hog cholera				721
Inflammatory diseases	980	287	656	3,462
Immaturity		574		
Tuberculosis	1,748	29		3,979
Other causes	855	184	660	5,193
Total	3,957	1,206	1,524	13,459

IMPORTS OF FOOD ANIMALS AND OF MEATS AND MEAT FOOD PRODUCTS, MARCH, 1932

The statements following show the imports of food animals and of meats and meat food products inspected by the Bureau of Animal Industry, during March, 1932, with figures for other periods for comparison.

Imports of food animals

Country of export	Cattle	Swine	Sheep	Goats
Mexico	3,503			
Canada	1,377	8	6	
Channel Islands	176			
Virgin Islands (to Porto Rico)	66	3		
Total:				
March, 1932	5,122	11	6	
March, 1931	7,689	218	2,495	1
9 months ended—				
March, 1932	69,562	1,091	1,885	68
March, 1931	55,349	516	5,954	114

Imported meats and meat food products

Country of export	Fresh and refrigerated		Canned and cured	Other meat products	Total weight
	Beef	Other			
	Pounds	*Pounds*	*Pounds*	*Pounds*	*Pounds*
Argentina			358,540	3,006	361,546
Australia				160	160
Brazil			162,000		162,000
Canada	30,433	160,766	288,682	57,983	537,864
New Zealand	4,991	11,679	144	349	17,163
Paraguay			21,377		21,377
Uruguay			1,194,353		1,194,353
Other countries	100		71,482	157,892	229,474
Total:					
March, 1932	35,524	172,445	2,096,578	219,390	2,523,937
March, 1931	189,159	98,806	1,148,029	687,468	2,123,462
9 months ended—					
March, 1932	425,484	921,287	19,183,115	3,194,692	23,724,578
March, 1931	2,122,675	933,791	17,474,703	4,201,774	24,732,943

Condemned in March, 1932: Beef, 3 pounds; pork, 25 pounds; total, 28 pounds.
Refused entry: Beef, 2,700 pounds; pork, 718 pounds; total, 3,418 pounds.

SUMMARY OF TUBERCULOSIS-ERADICATION WORK IN COOPERATION WITH STATES, MARCH, 1932

State	Tuberculin tests during month			Total to date			Inspector in charge	State official
	Herds or lots	Cattle tested	Cattle reacted	Once-tested-free herds	Accredited herds	Herds under supervision		
Ala	3,363	15,900	12	61,941	317	64,528	R. E. Jackson	C. A. Cary, Auburn.
Ariz	86	3,176	103	8,771	46	8,877	F. L. Schneider	E. L. Stam, Phoenix.
Ark	414	4,617	0	22,598	12	22,610	W. A. McDonald	J. H. Bux, Little Rock.
Calif	1,237	32,031	2,229	11,865	121	13,321	W. E. Howe	J. J. King, Sacramento
Colo	14	860	33	17	56	97	J. O. Wilson	C. G. Lamb, Denver.
Conn	696	14,088	395	2,322	6,154	8,942	R. L. Smith	Charles Johnson, Hartford.
Del	343	3,783	59	4,975	1,844	7,264	E. B. Simonds	Ralph C. Wilson, Dover.
D. C				43	2	46	A. E. Wight	
Fla	422	5,640	58	6,128	93	6,268	T. W. Cole	J. V. Knapp, Tallahassee.
Ga	1,745	10,260	1	92,077	32	92,109	A. L. Hirleman	J. M. Sutton, Atlanta.
Idaho	504	6,580	9	47,022	50	50,507	John T. Dallas	Thomas W. White, Boise.
Ill	5,209	72,654	802	80,535	5,683	232,770	J. J. Lintner	D. W. Robison, Springfield.
Ind	1,104	14,915	46	182,541	3,121	188,298	J. E. Gibson	Frank H. Brown, Indianapolis.
Iowa	3,413	71,893	1,914	100,000	1,870	200,000	J. A. Barger	M. G. Thornburg, Des Moines.
Kans	1,194	13,965	68	115,865	533	116,475	N. L. Townsend	J. H. Mercer, Topeka.
Ky	1,769	9,727	16	107,258	43	109,688	W. F. Biles	D. E. Westmorland, Frankfort.
La	102	3,661	75	4,333	13	4,592	W. W. Lawson	E. P. Flower, Baton Rouge.
Me	378	4,180	25	42,982	897	43,917	G. R. Caldwell	H. M. Tucker, Augusta.
Md	1,512	18,755	207	11,129	12,166	40,814	E. B. Simonds	James B. George, Baltimore.
Mass	1,755	20,922	1,721	6,784	4,290	12,632	E. A. Crossman	E. F. Richardson, Boston.
Mich	6,199	58,319	111	190,911	68	191,144	T. S. Rich	C. H. Clark, Lansing.
Minn	5,980	124,432	393	134,507	5,290	140,611	W. J. Fretz	C. E. Cotton, St. Paul.
Miss	709	5,973	0	24,145	18	24,177	H. Robbins	Charles E. O'Neal, Jackson.
Mo	1,119	9,119	17	111,799	254	115,921	Ralph Graham	H. A. Wilson, Jefferson City.
Mont	181	5,879	4	39,853	81	43,272	J. W. Murdoch	W. J. Butler, Helena.
Nebr	1,532	23,170	72	87,813	107	88,061	A. H. Francis	H. L. Feistner, Lincoln.
Nev	70	2,187	3	4,222	9	4,531	L. C. Butterfield	Edward Records, Reno.
N. H	1,809	15,102	599	6,209	6,689	13,925	E. A. Crossman	A. L. Felker, Concord.
N. J	1,193	17,114	332	2,373	7,526	11,827	Ellis E. McCoy	J. H. McNeil, Trenton.
N. Mex	157	3,398	7	4,448	26	4,589	F. L. Schneider	Mat Keenan, Albuquerque.
N. Y	4,378	65,446	4,379	30,796	80,903	117,516	H. B. Leonard	E. T. Faulder, Albany.
N. C	91	1,549	5	256,584	330	256,914	W. C. Dendinger	William Moore, Raleigh
N. Dak	1,483	35,284	96	69,352	5,466	81,871	H. H. Cohenour	W. F. Crewe, Bismarck.
Ohio	5,280	44,887	144	241,014	722	242,114	A. J. De Fosset	G. H. Pierce, Columbus.
Okla	966	7,448	4	16,962	219	17,181	L. J. Allen	C. C. Hisel, Oklahoma City.
Oreg	1,232	11,413	60	61,127	920	62,069	S. B. Foster	W. H. Lytle, Salem.
Pa	8,062	63,095	3,019	127,592	8,103	149,079	J. B. Reidy	T. E. Munce, Harrisburg.
R. I	75	1,767	43	512	210	831	E. A. Crossman	T. E. Robinson, Providence.
S. C	1,209	4,919	2	66,900	114	67,018	W. K. Lewis	W. K. Lewis, Columbia.
S. Dak	166	4,560	47	9,558	959	10,682	C. H. Hays	R. S. Robinson, Pierre.
Tenn	3,634	20,188	9	95,049	66	95,156	H. L. Fry	J. M. Jones, Nashville.
Tex	1,319	14,909	103	24,886	206	25,707	H. L. Darby	N. F. Williams, Fort Worth.
Utah	1,288	6,621	60	11,605	112	11,996	F. E. Murray	W. H. Hendricks, Salt Lake City.
Vt	1,320	29,531	3,152	4,039	10,109	15,590	L. H. Adams	Edward H. Jones, Montpelier.
Va	2,648	15,986	48	98,035	660	98,957	R. E. Brookbank	H. C. Givens, Richmond
Wash	1,839	21,688	146	50,474	81	65,827	J. C. Exline	Robert Prior, Olympia.
W. Va	1,951	9,175	14	88,140	632	89,944	H. M. Newton	H. M. Gore, Charleston.
Wis	6,189	123,710	359	178,722	10,248	190,133	J. S. Healy	Walter Wisnicky, Madison.
Wyo	395	5,390	28	12,542	5	13,972	W. A. Sullivan	H. D. Port, Cheyenne.
Total	87,734	1,079,866	21,029	2,959,355	177,476	3,474,370		

SUMMARY OF HOG-CHOLERA-CONTROL WORK, MARCH, 1932

State	Bureau veterinarians engaged in work [1]	Meetings addressed	Premises investigated	Demonstrations		Autopsies performed	Farms quarantined or carded	Farms cleaned and disinfected	Outbreaks reported to bureau veterinarians
				Number	Hogs treated				
Alabama	1	3	113	8	49				1
Colorado	.25		14			3			1
Florida	1		139	108	2,215	4			21
Georgia	1		105			1			2
Illinois	3	3	131			77	2	18	30
Indiana	2		81			17			6
Iowa	3	2	99	2	128	10			22
Kansas	.66		54						
Kentucky	2	3	212	5	144	20			13
Louisiana	1		33	16	276	12			22
Maryland	2	4	302			10			9
Michigan	1.5		27	1	12	6			4
Mississippi	1.03	2	90	74	732	4			4
Missouri	1	1	55	1	4	8			
Nebraska	.5		24			4			1
North Carolina	1	2	69			10			10
Ohio	1		34			11			15
Oklahoma	1	1	69	1	200	5	4		5
South Carolina	1		37	29	323	2			12
South Dakota	1	1	10			4			1
Tennessee	1		73	1	41	1			5
Texas	1		31			1			9
Washington	.5	7	19			9			
Wisconsin	1	9	24			3	1		2
Total	29.44	38	1,845	246	4,124	222	7	18	195

[1] Fractions denote veterinarians devoting part time to work.

NOTE.—No work reported from States not listed.

ANTI-HOG-CHOLERA SERUM AND HOG-CHOLERA VIRUS PRODUCED UNDER LICENSES, MARCH, 1932

	Total serum	Clear serum completed	Hyperimmune blood cleared	Simultaneous virus	Hyperimmunizing virus
	Cc	*Cc*	*Cc*	*Cc*	*Cc*
March, 1932	120,652,212	106,565,912	133,756,995	2,344,355	24,910,139
March, 1931	71,519,732	63,884,742	87,167,487	1,739,178	16,065,685
9 months ended—					
March, 1932	831,535,965	719,654,396	887,646,353	42,578,676	171,050,687
March, 1931	635,926,756	531,722,553	647,139,423	36,859,014	126,178,447

LICENSES ISSUED FOR BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS, MARCH, 1932

License No. 34 was issued March 15, 1932, to the Peters Serum Co., third floor, La Hines Building, 1611 Genessee Street, Kansas City, Mo. (mailing address, Livestock Exchange Building, Kansas City, Mo.), for: Enteritis mixed bacterin (swine); fowl-cholera and fowl-typhoid bacterin; keratitis mixed bacterin (bovine); mastitis mixed bacterin (bovine); metritis mixed bacterin (bovine); mixed bacterin (avian); mixed bacterin (bovine).

License No. 52 was issued March 5, 1932, to the Cutter Laboratory, Fourth and Parker Streets, Berkeley, Calif., for: Bacillus hemolyticus bacterin.

License No. 191 was issued March 2, 1932, to Ashe Lockhart (Inc.); 800–804 Woodswether Road, Kansas City, Mo., for: Anthrax bacterin.

LICENSES TERMINATED, MARCH, 1932

License No. 151, issued March 3, 1923, to the Quality Serum Co., Fourth and Grand Avenue, Hutchinson, Kans., was terminated March 30, 1932, because of the discontinuance of production.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE PACKERS AND STOCKYARDS ACT, APRIL, 1932

Docket No. 347.—In re American Commission Co. and other market agencies at the St. Paul Union Stockyards, South St. Paul, Minn. On March 26, 1931, the Secretary of Agriculture issued an order of inquiry and notice of hearing in this case, which said hearing has been continued from time to time. Uniform tariffs containing rates substantially lower than those in effect have been submitted by all the market agencies on the South St. Paul market and have been accepted for filing effective April 1, 1932. Therefore, on April 18, 1932, this proceeding was dismissed without prejudice.

Docket No. 377.—In re J. G. Glass, dealer, Fort Wayne, Ind. On February 9, 1932, the Acting Secretary of Agriculture issued an inquiry alleging that respondent had violated the packers and stockyards act in that he had failed, neglected, and refused to execute and maintain a reasonable bond to suitable trustees to secure the performance of his obligations as a dealer. On April 4, 1932, respondent admitted the truth of the matters alleged and waived a hearing thereon. On April 21, 1932, respondent was suspended from registration as a dealer for a period of six months with leave, however, during said period to apply for revocation of this suspension upon satisfactory proof that he has filed a reasonable bond. Respondent was also ordered to cease and desist from doing business as a dealer without executing and maintaining a reasonable bond to secure his obligations incurred as a dealer.

Docket No. 385.—In re Charles E. Harding Co., market agency, Chicago, Ill. On March 18, 1932, the Acting Secretary of Agriculture issued an inquiry alleging that respondent had violated Title III of the packers and stockyards act, in that it had made charges in its capacity as a market agency at less than the rates duly published for rendering such service. On March 28, 1932, the respondent acknowledged receipt of the inquiry, admitted the truth of the facts alleged and waived a hearing thereon. On April 8, 1932, the respondent was ordered to cease and desist from violating the act by charging, demanding, or collecting a greater or less or different compensation for stockyard services than the rates and charges specified in its schedule on file and in effect at the time.

PERMITTED DISINFECTANTS

The bureau has granted permission for the use of the following saponified cresol solutions in official disinfection, as required by B. A. I. Order 309:

"Eastern States Cresol Disinfectant," Eastern States Farmers Exchange, West Springfield, Mass.; "Kremulso," Thompson-Hayward Chemical Co., Twenty-ninth and Southwest Boulevard, Kansas City, Mo.

Change in Trade Name

The bureau previously granted permission for the use of "Kreo," a saponified cresol solution, in official disinfection, as required by B. A. I. Order 309. At the request of the W. T. Rawleigh Co., Freeport, Ill., the manufacturer of this product, the name "Kreo" has been discontinued and the trade name of the product is changed to "Rawleigh's Kreo."

WARNING AGAINST POLITICAL ACTIVITY BY DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES

Attention is called to the provisions of the notice, signed by the Secretary of Agriculture, on page 54 of Service and Regulatory Announcements for June, 1928. Under these provisions no employee of the Government will be permitted—

1. To hold a position as a member or officer of any political committee that solicits funds.
2. To display such obtrusive partisanship as to cause public scandal.
3. To attempt to manipulate party primaries or conventions.
4. To use his position to bring about his selection as a delegate to conventions.
5. To act as chairman of a political convention.
6. To assume the active conduct of a political campaign.

7. To use his position to interfere with an election or to affect the result thereof.
8. To neglect his public duties.

It is the duty of any person having knowledge of the violation of any of the foregoing provisions of the civil-service rules or Criminal Code to submit the facts to the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

RESULTS OF PROSECUTIONS FOR VIOLATIONS OF LAWS

Penalties and fines have been imposed in prosecutions for violations of regulatory laws, as reported to the bureau, as follows:

Twenty-eight Hour Law

Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad Co., $150 penalty.
Pennsylvania Railroad Co., $100 penalty.

Meat Inspection Law

Brighton Dressed Meat Co., Boston, Mass., for offering uninspected meat for interstate shipment, $100 fine.

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE INVADES CALIFORNIA

An outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease, in Buena Park, Orange County, Calif., was confirmed April 28 by county, State, and Federal veterinary officials. Lameness in a herd of 4,000 garbage-fed hogs was called to the attention of Dr. L. M. Hurt, who suspected foot-and-mouth disease, and notified State and Federal officials. Blisters on the snouts of some of these hogs, together with more definite foot lesions, soon appeared and, after a series of diagnostic tests, the officials, including Dr. Jacob Traum of the State University, confirmed the outbreak as foot-and-mouth disease. The manner of introduction is still undetermined.

The bureau has assigned a corps of picked veterinarians to cope with the emergency. Dr. Rudolph Snyder arrived at the scene of action by plane and will direct the work of the Federal men already there and others who may be needed. Dr. J. J. King, State veterinarian of California, likewise is on the "firing line" with his State forces. A rigid quarantine of the area is being enforced.

The foregoing outline of the situation is published for the information of bureau employees and gives the essential developments up to April 30. The bureau urges that all employees observe maximum diligence so that this outbreak may be stamped out with greatest dispatch.

NEW PUBLICATIONS OF THE BUREAU

[The bureau keeps no mailing list for sending publications to individual employees but sends copies to officers in charge of stations and offices. These publications should be regarded as notification copies. So far as possible additional copies will be furnished on request.]

Farmers' Bulletin 1524 (slightly revised). Farm Poultry Raising. By M. A. Jull, Animal Husbandry Division. P. 28, figs. 21.

Farmers' Bulletin 697 (revised). Duck Raising. By Alfred R. Lee and Sheppard Haynes, Animal Husbandry Division. P. 22, figs. 15.

Farmers' Bulletin 1341 (slightly revised). Mule Production. By J. O. Williams, Animal Husbandry Division. P. 28, figs. 24.

Miscellaneous Publication 66 (revised). Economic Benefits of Eradicating Tuberculosis from Livestock. By John R. Mohler, Chief, Bureau of Animal Industry, A. E. Wight, and L. B. Ernest, Tuberculosis Eradication Division. P. 24, figs. 8.

Amendment 9 to B. A. I. Order 331. Declaring Names of Counties Placed in Modified Accredited Area for Tuberculosis. Effective April 1, 1932. P. 1, mimeographed.

B. A. I. Order 334. Order to prevent the Introduction into the United States of Rinderpest and Foot-and-Mouth Disease. Effective May 1, 1932. P. 2.

B. A. I. Order 336. To Prevent the Spread of Foot-and-Mouth Disease in Cattle, Sheep, Other Ruminants, and Swine. Effective April 29, 1932. P. 2.

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